

Senate Judiciary Committee Amendment # 1

Amendment No. 2 to SB2143

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 2143

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1311(b)(1), is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subdivision:

(H) Any person in possession of a handgun while within the boundaries of any state park, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351-39-17-1358.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-17-1359, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(e) Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit any person from possessing a handgun while within the boundaries of any state park, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351 - 39-17-1358.

SECTION 3. Notwithstanding the provisions of any law to the contrary, neither the department of environment and conservation nor any other entity of state or local government shall prohibit any person from possessing a handgun while within the boundaries of any state park, if such person is duly authorized to carry the handgun pursuant to the provisions of §§ 39-17-1351 - 39-17-1358.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.